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Draft resolution submitted by the Chairman following informal consultations

Estimates in respect of matters of which the Security Council is seized

The General Assembly,

Having considered the reports of the Secretary-General on the estimates in respect of matters of which the Security Council is seized,[1] as well as the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions[2] and the oral statement of the Chairman of the Advisory Committee to the Fifth Committee,[3]

Recalling its resolution 56/274 of 27 March 2002, in which it approved a charge totalling 41,458,500 United States dollars against the provision for special political missions under section 3, Political affairs, of the programme budget for the biennium 2002-2003,[4]

1. *Takes note* of the reports of the Secretary-General on the estimates in respect of matters of which the Security Council is seized,[1] and concurs with the observations and endorses the recommendations of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions contained in its report[2] and in the oral statement of its Chairman;[3]

2. *Approves* the charge of 34,303,300 dollars for the United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan against the balance remaining of the provision for special political missions appropriated under section 3, Political affairs, of the programme budget for the biennium 2002-2003;[4]

3. *Also approves*, under the procedures provided for in paragraph 11 of annex I to General Assembly resolution 41/213 of 19 December 1986, an additional

[1] A/C.5/56/25/Add.4 and 5.
[2] A/56/7/Add.10. For the final text, see *Official Records of the General Assembly, Fifty-sixth Session, Supplement No. 7A.*
[3] See A/C.5/56/SR.59
[4] A/56/6 (Sect. 3).

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appropriation of 10,563,100 dollars for the two political missions discussed in the reports of the Secretary-General, comprising 8,707,400 dollars for the United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan and 1,855,700 dollars for the United Nations Tajikistan Office of Peace-building;

4. *Further approves* an appropriation of 4,165,800 dollars, comprising 3,929,500 dollars in respect of the United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan and 236,300 dollars in respect of the United Nations Tajikistan Office of Peace-building, under section 32, Staff assessment, of the programme budget,[5] to be offset by a corresponding amount in income section 1, Income from staff assessment.[6]

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[5] Ibid. (Sect. 32).
[6] Ibid. (Income sect. 1).